

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
Norfolk Division**

**NICHOLAS R. SMITH**

**Plaintiff,**

**v.**

**Case No. 2:23cv81**

**KILOLO KIJAKAZI,**  
*Acting Commissioner of Social Security,*

**Defendant.**

**ORDER ON APPLICATION TO PROCEED WITHOUT PREPAYMENT OF FEES**

Having considered the application to proceed without prepayment of fees under 28 U.S.C. § 1915,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the application is

☒ **GRANTED**, and the Clerk is **DIRECTED** to file the complaint.

**OR**

☐ **DENIED**, and **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the filing fee shall be paid within thirty (30) days of this order, or this matter will be dismissed without prejudice to refile/resubmit this case.

**DENIED** for the following reasons:

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ENTERED this 3rd day of March, 2023.

*Arenda L. Wright Allen*  
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United States District Judge